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TO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY BANGKOK IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, EAID, LA, TH, US

SUBJECT: LAO REQUEST FOR FOREIGN POWERS TO PERSUADE  
THAILAND TO REOPEN BORDER AND REQUEST FOR AID

CINCPAC FOR POLAD

REF: VIENTANE 6631 (NOTAL)

DEPARTMENT QUESTIONS THAT IT WOULD BE IN OUR INTEREST TO  
APPROACH THE RTG WITH LAO REQUEST. FROM WHAT WE CAN  
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DETERMINE, THAI HAVE ALREADY MADE AMPLY CLEAR THEIR

WILLINGNESS TO HOLD DISCUSSIONS WITH LAO, AND LATTER HAVE  
ONLY TO RESPOND IN KIND. HOWEVER, BEFORE AUTHORIZING REPLY  
TO LAO (REFTEL), WE WOULD APPRECIATE ASAP VIEWS AND  
RECOMMENDATIONS OF BOTH EMBASSIES BANGKOK AND VIENTIANE ON  
MATTER. KISSINGER

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